

# WASHINGTON STATE

## EMERGENCY OPERATIONS OFFICER

### MONTHLY REPORT

#### February 2005

CATEGORY	FEB 2005	FEB 2004	YTD 05	YTD 04
CSEPP INCIDENTS	10	3	16	6
DOE INCIDENTS	0	0	1	0
FIRE	15	6	19	15
HAZMAT	158	127	350	278
OTHER	24	23	45	44
911 OUTAGES	4	1	7	3
SAR	35	31	78	75
TERRORIST	0	0	0	0
WEATHER	1	9	5	13
CGS INCIDENTS	1	0	1	0
TOTAL	248	200	522	434

#### LEGEND

CSEPP	Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program
DOE	Department of Energy, Hanford Site
SAR	Search and Rescue Missions
HAZMAT	Hazardous Materials Incidents
WEATHER	Weather Incidents (throughout state, i.e., Flood, High Winds, and Snow)
CGS	Columbia Generating Station
FIRE	Forest Fire Incidents
OTHER	This category includes a wide variety of incidents, i.e., Tsunami, Earthquake, Critical Incident Stress Debriefings, Bomb Threat, etc...
911	911 Service Outages

#### SIGNIFICANT EVENTS:

- On February 5, 2005, The University of Washington Seismology Lab reported an earthquake, magnitude 3.2. The quake occurred at 0053 hours and was located 30.2 miles east of Mount Baker along the Skagit and Chelan County border. There were no reports of the event being felt in the surrounding areas.

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- On February 5, a search was conducted in Thurston County for a missing male mountain bike rider in Capital Forest off Waddell Creek Road. Additional resources were coordinated from Pierce, Thurston, Lewis and Grays Harbor Counties. The subject was located deceased several hours later and the request for resources was cancelled.
  - On February 11, a Non-Surety Event was announced at the Umatilla Chemical Depot. At 1403 hours a Security Guard on foot was run over by a UMCD Security vehicle. The cause of the incident is unknown at this time. The Officer was transported to Good Shepherd Hospital. The Officer was conscious and alert. A safety investigation was conducted.
  - On February 21, the Washington State Patrol issued an Amber Alert for 2 missing boys last seen in the Lacey area. At 8:19 AM the Alert was cancelled when both of the youth were located in Hoquiam, WA.
  - On February 21, a search was conducted in Mason County for a 56 year-old mentally challenged male near Shelton Valley Road. Additional resources were coordinated from Grays Harbor and Pierce County. The subject was located 8 miles from the start point, cold, but in good condition.
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- For the month of February 2005 the SEOO's:
    - Issued 9 warnings to jurisdictions for imminent or occurring emergencies
    - Issued 7 warnings to tribal nations for imminent or occurring emergencies
    - Conducted 591 notifications to state agency liaisons for imminent or occurring emergencies
    - Coordinated 18 resources for search, rescue, recovery and response operations
    - Participated in 25 exercises of which 18 were vessel spill drills
    - Made 1101 and answered 1303 telephone calls

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- Conducted 1,536 National Warning System Tests, conducted 228 Comprehensive Emergency Management Network (CEMNET) radio tests. (connects all counties and many cities via Zetron Radio Console)
- Conducted 51 dedicated line tests with the Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program (CSEPP)
- Conducted 3 dedicated line tests with the Department of Energy, Hanford Site (DOE)
- Conducted 5 dedicated line tests with the Columbia Generating Station (CGS)